

OX CART/IDEALIST

[]-2115-66
Copy 7
12 January 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Chief, Support Division, OSA

SUBJECT : Detachment 4 T/O Increase

25X1A 1. In a recent analysis of the impact of BLACK SHIELD
25X1A activities on our Far East programs, it has become evident that
25X1A possibly in the near term and very probably in the long term, we
will experience a co-mingling of our activities in the IDEALIST
and OXCART Projects and their relationship [] It is
not beyond the realm of probability to contemplate some involve-
ment of [] in our OXCART FE efforts. Furthermore,
the alternative reservation or withholding of the OXCART from the
[] unless our reasons
are properly understood.

25X1A 2. With these alternative possibilities very real and the
25X1A increased tempo of BLACK SHIELD deployment plans, it is the
25X1A considered opinion of my staff and the front office in general that
we need to establish a senior civilian position in [] to facilitate
our endeavors in these areas. This position should be at the GS-15
level. Needless to say, the incumbent or candidates for such
assignment will have to be completely conversant in the overall
aspects of both programs and the history of our relationship and
accomplishments with []. I feel this individual clearly
belongs to the R Career Service. It is also conceivable that he
might perform other duties or assignments on behalf of the Science
and Technology Directorate. Nevertheless for the sake of house-
keeping and general administration, I would expect to place the
position on the [] T/O at this time.

25X1A 3. I want to point out this in no way encumbers the Support
function of our Administrative Officer at [] and, in fact, I

OX CART/IDEALIST

25X1A

2115-66
Page 2

suggest in the near future we conduct a survey of such persons to analyze the nature of the work performed to insure proper grading and use of the talents of these support officers.

25X1A

4. With regard to the new position at , I would ask that you draft a proposed job description which we can then review together.

25X1A

Chief, Programs Staff
(Special Activities)

CONCUR:

25X1A

Deputy Director of Special Activities

25X1A

PS/OSA: h (12 Jan 66)

Distribution:

Cy 1 - AC/SD/OSA

Cy 2 - DE/OSA

Cy 3 - D/FA/OSA

Cy 4 - D/Tech/OSA

Cys 5 & 6 - PS/OSA

Cy 7 - RB/OSA